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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Military Division, OCI

THROUGH: Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, CGS

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FROM: Chief, CIA/PID (NPIC)

SUBJECT: Search for Surface-Search Radar at Various Areas in Cuba

REFERENCE: (a) Requirement C-CI-3-80,563
(b) CIA/PID Project C 1280-63

1. This memorandum is in response to your requirement dated 11 September 1963 requesting a search in five areas in Cuba for a surface search radar of the Low Sieve or similar type, and associated communication facilities.

2. The following areas were searched with negative results:

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- a. Punta de Maisi (20-15N 74-09W) Mission
- b. Gibara Bay area (21-07N 76-09W) Mission
- c. Punta Casimaba (20-15N 74-07W) Mission
- d. Cabo San Antonio (21-52N 84-57W) Mission
- e. Caleta Grande (21-25N 82-55W) Mission

The above missions are the latest and best coverage of the search areas. The characteristics of surface-search radar requires placement near the shoreline for maximum effectiveness, as is the radar of the Varadero Peninsula. The shoreline near the above areas was searched and no towers or construction activity was noted.

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3. The photo analyst on this project is [REDACTED] and he may be contacted on extension 2078 should you have any further questions regarding this project.

4. This project is considered to be complete.

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